

CIA 'CRIMES' IN YEMEN

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(EXCERPTS) THE REVOLUTIONARY POPULAR UNION HAS ISSUED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO THE ARAB NATION ABOUT THE ABOMINABLE CRIME COMMITTED BY THE U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY--CIA--THROUGH ITS SABOTAGE MACHINERY IN THE YEMENI ARAB REPUBLIC:

MASSSES OF OUR ARAB PEOPLE, SINCE THE BEGINNING OF OUR VICTORIOUS REVOLUTION ON 23 SEPTEMBER 1962--THE REVOLUTION WHICH HAS DISTURBED IMPERIALISM, REACTION, AND THEIR MONOPOLIST COMPANIES IN THE ARABIAN PENINSULA, INCLUDING ARAMCO AND ITS SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES--THE APPARATUS OF THE CIA WITHIN COMPANIES, DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES, AND REACTIONARY REGIMES IN THE ARABIAN PENINSULA AND SOME REGIONS OF THE ARAB HOMELAND HAS BEEN ACTIVELY FIGHTING THIS REVOLUTION AND HATCHING PLOTS AND INTRIGUES TO UNDERMINE IT, OBSTRUCT ITS COURSE, AND THWART ITS EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE A FREE AND STGNIFIED LIFE FOR THE SONS OF THESE PROUD ARAB PEOPLE. PUT BY THEIR VIGILANCE AND STRONG REVOLUTIONARY SPIRIT THESE PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO NIP THESE ATTEMPTS IN THE BUD. THEREFORE THE CIA APPARATUS BEGAN TO EXERT PRESSURE ON THE SOUND ARAB LIBERATORY COURSE OF THIS VICTORIOUS REVOLUTION IN ORDER TO BIND IT TO THE IMPERIALIST BANDWAGON AND SAFEGUARD THE IMPERIALIST INTERESTS IN THE AREA. WEAKMINDED MERCENARIES, VAGRANTS, AND OUTCASTS WHO ARE DEVIATING FROM THE UNANIMOUS REVOLUTIONARY TIDE HAVE BEEN EXPLOITED THROUGH VARIOUS METHODS SUCH AS THE FOLLOWING:

1--THE CIA HAS PROVIDED ARMS, FUNDS, AND MILITARY EXPERTS TO ARAB REACTION IN THE AREA AND MADE A JOINT PLAN WITH IT TO STRIKE AT THE YEMENI REVOLUTION AND THE YEMENI PEOPLE.

2--THE CIA HAS BOUGHT THE DEAD CONSCIENCE OF THOSE WHO HAVE DEVIATED FROM THE REVOLUTION LINE AND COORDINATED A JOINT PLAN BETWEEN THIS GROUP AND THE MEMBERS OF THE OUSTED (IMAN'S--ED) WHICH RESULTED IN THE SO-CALLED AT-TAIF CONFERENCE AND THE SLOGAN OF THE ISLAMIC STATE WHICH WAS MEANT TO MISLEAD OUR PEOPLE AND DISINTEGRATE THEIR UNITY BY EXPLOITING THEIR ADHERENCE TO THE SPIRIT OF THE TRUE ISLAMIC RELIGION.

3--THE CIA HAS EXPLOITED THE PRESSURE OF THESE DEVIATING ELEMENTS AND MERCHANTS OF POLITICS IN KEY POSITIONS OF THE FORMER GOVERNMENT AND ASSIGNED SOME OF THEM ROLES IN IMPLEMENTING IMPERIALIST POLITICAL PLOTS AND PLANS TO UNDERMINE THE REVOLUTION AND THE REPUBLIC. OTHERS WERE ASSIGNED TO CARRY OUT SABOTAGE ACTIVITIES AND SPREAD TERROR AMONG THE INNOCENT CITIZENS AND TO EXPLOIT THIS ACTION POLITICALLY BY FALSELY BLAMING SUCH ARTIFICIAL CONFESSION AND SABOTAGE ON THE PEOPLE'S GRUMBING AT THE PRESENCE OF THE UAR FORCES IN YEMEN AND THUS GIVING THE REACTIONARY AND DEVIATING GROUPS AN EXCUSE TO DEMAND THE EVACUATION OF THESE UAR FORCES SO THAT THE REACTIONARY GROUPS COULD DESTROY THE REVOLUTION AND ITS ACHIEVEMENTS. THIS HAS BEEN PROVEN BY THE CONFESSIONS OF THE ACCUSED BEFORE THE SUPREME STATE SECURITY COURT CONFIRMING THE ROLE OF THE AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT--AID--IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PLAN AND THE PARTICIPATION OF SOME OF THE AMERICANS THEMSELVES.

4--THE CIA, THROUGH THE AID ORGANIZATION AND THE AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTERS IN YEMEN, HAS CARRIED OUR LARGE-SCALE SABOTAGE ACTIVITIES. THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE ALSO BEEN PROVEN BY THE CONFESSIONS OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN CONVICTED BY THE SUPREME STATE SECURITY COURT.

5--THE CIA HAS SPONSORED LARGE-SCALE SMUGGLING OF RADIO EQUIPMENT AND ARMS, SOME OF WHICH WERE CONFISCATED AT AR-RAIDAH CUSTOMS HOUSE AND OTHER CUSTOMS OFFICES.

6--THE CIA HAS INSTIGATED ITS AGENTS BOURGUIBA AND HUSAYN TO EXERT DIRECT PRESSURE ON THE YEMENI ARAB REPUBLIC BY WITHDRAWING THEIR RECOGNITION IN A DESPERATE IMPERIALIST ATTEMPT TO UNDERMINE THE REPUBLICAN REGIME AND ITS VICTORIOUS REVOLUTION.

7--FINALLY, AFTER THE UTTER FAILURE OF THESE MEAN ATTEMPTS OF THIS AGENCY IN THE FACE OF THE VIGILANCE OF OUR PEOPLE LED BY THEIR REVOLUTIONARY COMMAND AND THE SECURITY FORCES WHICH PROTECT THE PEOPLE AND THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS, LOST ITS SENSES AND CARRIED OUT ITS FOOLISH, FEVERISH, HYSTERICAL ATTEMPT ON 26 APRIL 1967. INVESTIGATION HAS PROVED THAT THE OFFICER OF THIS ORGANIZATION IN TAIZZ NAMED STEPHEN LIAPIS ACCOMPANIED BY HAROLD HARTMAN OF THE SAME ORGANIZATION FIRED A BAZOOKA AT THE YEMENI AMMUNITION DUMPS IN TAIZZ TO COMPLETELY DESTROY THE CITY AND ITS PEACEFUL CITIZENS.

MASSSES OF OUR VALIANT PEOPLE, THE REVOLUTIONARY POPULAR UNION, WHICH REPRESENT YOUR TRUE REVOLUTIONARY WILL, DENOUNCES THIS RECENT MEAN PLOT CARRIED OUT BY THE CIA AGAINST OUR VALIANT REVOLUTION. AT THE SAME TIME THE REVOLUTIONARY POPULAR UNION STRONGLY SUPPORTS THE GIGANTIC REVOLUTIONARY STEPS TAKEN BY THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT LED BY THE LEADER OF THE REVOLUTION FIELD MARSHAL ABDALLAH AS-SALLAL. THE UNION DEMANDS THE ADOPTION OF MORE REVOLUTIONARY MEASURES TO PUNISH ANYONE WHO CONTEMPLATES DISHONORING OUR PEOPLE AND THEIR BLESSED REVOLUTION. THE UNION ALSO DEMANDS THAT THESE AMERICAN TYRANTS AND THEIR AGENTS SHOULD BE TRIED BY THE SUPREME STATE SECURITY COURT IN ORDER FOR THEM TO RECEIVE THEIR JUST PUNISHMENT. THE UNION EXPRESSES ITS THANKS AND APPRECIATION TO THE COURAGEOUS MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY FORCES WHO ARE PROTECTING THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF THE COUNTRY AND OF THE STRUGGLING PEOPLE WHO, WITH THEIR VIGILANCE, HAVE PUT AN END TO ALL IMPERIALIST REACTIONARY INTRIGUES AND PLOTS. LONG LIVE ITS PRIME MOVER PRESIDENT JAMAL ABD AN-NASIR. DOWN WITH IMPERIALIST AND REACTIONARY PLOTS EVERYWHERE.

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